THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): Yes, Sir.

(b) Narmada Sagar Project has been approved with the condition that Environmental Action Plans will be prepared and implemented *pari-passu* with project construction work failing which construction work will be stopped.

(c) A Rehabilitation Sub-Group specially constituted by the Narmada Control Authority is to ensure preparation and implementation of a detailed Rehabilitation Master Plan for project affected people and tribals in the Narmada Valley.

Women Police

840. SHRI BHUVNESH CHATURVEDI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what measures Government propose to take to increase the number of women in Police Department in view of the recommendations made by the National Experts Committee on Women Prisoners; and

(b) the total number of women police in Delhi and other States and Union Territories in the country at present?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) The subject 'Public order' and 'police' are included in the State list of the VIIth Schedule to the Constitution. It is for the State Governments to fix the number of women for appointment in the police department according to their requirements. Under the 8th Finance Commission Award, the Central Government provide financial assisstance to the States for appointment of women constables.

(b) the total number of women employees in the police department of the Union Territories at present is given below:—

Delhi	470
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	13
Chandigarh	37
Pondicherry	14

Drug trafficking cases in Delhi

841. SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cases of drug trafficking reported and registered in Delhi during the last year; and

(b) the action taken in each case?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) During the year 1987, 1403 cases were reported/registered under Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act. 1407 persons were arrested in these cases. Out of the 992 rases challenged, there has been conviction in 33 cases, acquittal in 29 cases and 930 cases are pending trial.

Counter trade deal with Bofors

842. SHRI SHARAD YADAV:
SHRI VIRENDRA VERMA:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the representatives of Bofors recently discussed with the State Trading Corporation their counter-trade deal with the STC; and